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Amendment

Please amend the specification as follows:

On page 19 of the specification, between lines 6 and 7, please add the following paragraph:

a' As shown in Figures 4, 5 and 7, base 12 is bottomless so as to include a through-opening for cup 16.

Please substitute the following claims for any of their previous versions:

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1. An insect station, comprising:

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- a) a cup selected from the group of paper and plastic cups, wherein the cup comprises a sidewall, a floor integral with the sidewall, and a cup opening formed by the sidewall and being opposite of the floor, wherein the cup opening has a diameter; and
 - b) a bottomless base having a width greater than the diameter of the cup opening, wherein

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